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## Amendment No. 1 to SB1497

## <u>Beavers</u> Signature of Sponsor

**AMEND** Senate Bill No. 1497\*

House Bill No. 1450

by deleting all language following the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-24-105(d), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

(4) Upon assessment by a municipal court, the costs incurred by the municipality in collecting any unpaid fines or costs, including any reasonable fee paid to a collection agency when the municipality employs a collection agency, or a reasonable fee paid to a lawyer when the municipality employs a lawyer to collect the fines and costs, may be recovered from the defendant.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring